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#### High School Notes.

Maude Cline returned to school last week after a week's illness.

The Senior class lost two of their members last week, Ralph Cline and Harold Schooler, which leaves a class of seven.

Quite an interesting program will be given Friday by the High School girls just after last recess.

The boys rendered their program last Friday afternoon, which was a success and enjoyed by all. The agriculture class has made

one field trip so far this year, when they went to Stalter's to see a silo filled.

#### Wedding Celebration.

W. L. Earp and wife of Nevada and J. D. Harbur and wife celebrated the thirty-first anniversary of their wedding here last Sunday, at the Harbur home. Mr. Earp is Mrs. Harbur's brother and the wedding 31 years ago was a double one. J. M. Earp and wife and Miss Mayne and Guy Earp of Lamar were members of the happy dinner party.

#### Chicken Thieves Shot At.

Chicken thieves have been at work in a number of places in and about Jasper the past few weeks, but if more of them were given the reception handed out last Thursday night by Mrs. Volley Blauth and Mrs. Vernon Matthews, it might have a deterrent effect on the industry.

Mr. Blauth went to Kansas City on business last Thursday and Mrs. Blauth called her neighbor, Mrs. Vernon Matthews, to spend the night with her. During the night the ladies were awakened by suspicious sounds from the chicken house. They hurriedly dressed and took up a repeating shotgun and started for the chicken house. The thieves heard them coming and ran. Mrs. Blauth caught sight of one man and fired four shots in his direction, but as far as they know the shots only had the effect of making the thief touch the high places getting away.

The Blauth home is on the baseline a mile east of Jasper.

#### Enthusiastic Republican Meeting Saturday Night.

The Republican speakers at the opera house Saturday night were greeted by a crowded house. The meeting was called to order by Township Chairman Bert Webb, who announced E. W. Scott, chairman of the meeting. Mr. Scott introduced the speakers. The following candidates were present: W. N. Andrews, state senator; Walter Bailey, representative; John Flanagan, prosecuting attorney; H. O. Earl, county judge, eastern district; Henry Tangner, sheriff; George Maxwell, treasurer, and Dr. E. McCoy, coroner.

The negro male quartette that accompanied the speakers thoroughly enjoyed their part of the program, and so much so that the audience laughed with them as well as at them.

#### Dr. Martin's Family Leave.

Dr. J. J. Martin left last Saturday morning for his new work as pastor of the M. E. Church at Mount Washington, about half way between Kansas City and Independence, Mo. Mrs. Martin left Saturday evening and stopped with her daughter at Rich Hill. Misses Jessie, Cora and Bessie left Saturday night.

It was with keen regret that Jasper parted with Dr. Martin and his family. Dr. Martin is a very able man and one of the best preachers Jasper ever had. The family drew quite a large circle of friends about them during their stay here.

#### Don't Ride Bicycles on Sidewalks.

Boys, you're taking chances when you ride your wheels on the sidewalks. The city marshal had to arrest one boy for it last week and he says he'll pull anybody he sees riding a wheel on the walks or against whom any other citizen will file a complaint on that charge. A city ordinance says you mustn't and the marshal has no other recourse if he does his duty.

#### Christian Church Has New Minister.

Rev. R. M. Salts has resigned the pastorate of the Christian Church at Jasper and Rev. Mr. Reed of Carthage has been secured to fill the vacancy. Mr. Reed will preach next Sunday. Jasper now has three new preachers—Rev. L. L. Pinnell, Rev. J. W. Moore and Rev. Mr. Reed.

#### Boston Lecturer to Speak Here

"The European War in its Relation to the Overthrow of Satan's Empire and the Establishment of Christ's Kingdom" is the subject of a lecture to be delivered at the opera house next Saturday night by Pastor W. J. Thorn of Boston, Mass. The lecture is under the auspices of the International Bible Students Association. The public is invited, seats are free and no collection taken.

#### Masquerade Social.

A masquerade social will be given at the Farmer's Union schoolhouse Friday night, October 13. A small amount will be charged for lunch and the proceeds will be used to buy equipment for the school. Miss Hattie Kunkler is the teacher at Farmers Union.

#### HUGHES TO SPEAK IN JOPLIN

##### Meeting to be in Big Tent—Big Crowd Going From Here.

Tomorrow, Friday, October 13, will be Hughes Day in Joplin and thousands of citizens of Jasper and surrounding counties will avail themselves of the opportunity to hear the Republican candidate for President.

An enormous tent 120 by 170 feet will be used for the meeting. The tent will seat 6,300 and will be located at the corner of Fourth and Gray's avenue, nine blocks west of the Conner Hotel. The meeting will begin about 7.30.

It is the understanding that a special train will be provided by the Missouri Pacific to run as far north as Nevada, leaving Joplin after the speaking. The regular afternoon train will be used going down. It is believed about 100 will go on the train and by automobile from here.

The special Jasper County reception committee to look after Justice Hughes while in the county are as follows: Howard Gray, J. F. Boyd, W. J. Sewall, E. B. Jacobs, W. S. Crane, L. L. Ashcraft, W. F. Maring, Dr. S. Goodner, and N. H. Patterson.

#### Death of Baby Daughter of A. W. Radford and Wife.

The six-months-old baby daughter of A. W. Radford and wife died very suddenly and unexpectedly last Saturday. The little one was apparently perfectly well up to that time and never had been sick. Mrs. Radford had just laid the baby on a pillow and on returning to the room in about 20 minutes found it apparently in a faint. She called the doctor at once and worked with it until his arrival, when the doctor pronounced it dead. The doctor decided that strangulation or heart failure caused death.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon, Rev. Wm. K. Chatten of Lamar preaching a short sermon and the little body was laid away in the Brethren Cemetery.

The community is a unit in extending sympathy to the stricken family.

#### Mr. Maxwell Writes The News.

Concerning the article in last week's paper entitled "Doesn't play the Sucker," I wish to state a few facts. Mr. Lilly and a young man working for me as a farm hand, were on a deal for a car on Saturday night. On Sunday morning Mr. Lilly came out to further demonstrate the car, as the young man said he would probably buy it. While the young man was examining the car Mr. Stark called Mr. Lilly aside and told him that judging from the young man's talk and actions he didn't think there was anything to him and probably he was a criminal, working on a farm awhile to hide from justice. Mr. Lilly then came to me and asked what I knew of the young man. I told him that he had come to my farm about three weeks before inquiring for work and since that time had been in my employ, further than that I knew nothing of him. I also wish to say that I at no time, agreed to stand for the car as I had nothing to do with the transaction. E. L. Maxwell.

#### Mrs. V. H. Hendricks Stricken.

Mrs. V. H. Hendricks, wife of Dr. Hendricks, suffered a stroke of paralysis Sunday about noon, affecting her right side.

The Doctor was away from home about an hour and a half, and on returning about 1 o'clock found Mrs. Hendricks in a chair unconscious and paralyzed. She had apparently recovered somewhat, and it is believed that she is now conscious of her surroundings and what is said to her though she cannot speak. Mrs. Hendricks has long suffered from weak heart action and the gravest fears are felt for her recovery.

#### Wedding of Well-Known Couple

The wedding of Miss Adeline Schooler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Schooler, and George H. Brosius, took place at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. The ceremony was performed at the Schooler home, 11 miles northeast of Carthage, in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends of the uniting couple, by Rev. Arthur Perry, of Nebraska City, Neb., a brother-in-law of Miss Schooler. Rev. Mr. Perry formerly was pastor of the Main Street Presbyterian church of Carthage.

Mrs. Perry and one child were here for the wedding.

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served, after which Mr. Brosius and his bride left on a honeymoon trip.

Miss Schooler, who comes of a prominent Jasper county family, is a charming girl and is popular in Carthage social circles.

She received her education in the schools here and later attended the University of Nebraska at Lincoln.

Mr. Brosius is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brosius and has resided in Carthage a number of years. He is a successful young business man with a host of friends. At present he is city collector of Carthage and also holds a position as assistant secretary of the Union Trust Company.

Upon returning from their wedding trip they will reside in the A. K. Wray home, corner of Chestnut and Maple streets.—Carthage Press.

#### Gone From Us.

Perhaps some day we will meet again, but more than likely we will never look upon that face again. One has gone from our community who has oftentimes stood between our people and poverty, helped to build our churches, our schools, brought joy to our old and young alike, has never shrunk from the duties she had to perform. It was no act of her's that caused her to roam to other parts, she belonged here and should have remained with us but the blame is all our own, we should never have sent her to the mail order house. The face upon that dollar lingers in our memory still, but her cold form lies in the vault of the mail order house from whence none return.—Rockville Booster.

#### Services at M. E. Church

Rev. J. W. Moore, the new pastor of the M. E. Church, will occupy the pulpit next Sunday morning and evening, and the regular services of the day will be held.

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